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Under IC 4-22-2-23, the Office of the Secretary of Family and Social Services intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

OVERVIEW: Amends 405 IAC 1-14.6 to revise the case mix reimbursement methodology that the Medicaid program utilizes to reimburse nursing facilities by requiring Medicare certification as a condition of Medicaid enrollment; removing from consideration as allowable cost indirect costs associated with ancillary services provided to non-Medicaid residents; reducing the profit add-on payments; establishing a minimum occupancy parameter for the direct care, indirect care, and administrative rate components; providing for rebasing of Medicaid payment rates on a biannual basis, rather than annually; and adding a provision that any state-imposed provider fee is considered an allowable cost. Statutory authority: IC 12-8-6-5; IC 12-15-1-10; IC 12-15-21-2; IC 12-15-21-3(2).